In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 10, line 6 with the following amended paragraph:

A "transcoding gateway" is a server capable of transcoding messages from one format to another, as for example, from email objects to files stored in file systems or from digital object in emails to transcoded digital object suitable for display upon display devices, including for example, video screen, audio players, digital art frames, television sets controlled by set top boxes, text to speech converters in automobiles, and so on. Transcoding gateways are "gateways" in the sense that they carry out their server functions by use of more than one protocol, as for example, a transcoding gateway that receives email messages using POP and distributes digital objects in HTML documents using HTTP. Transcoding gateways also are 'gateways' in the sense that they implement uplinks between LANs and WANs; in many embodiments, a WAN so uplinked is an Internet.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 19, line 5 with the following amended paragraph:

Embodiments according to Figure 3 typically include finding (210) a display device record for a destination display device (150), wherein the destination display device (150) comprises a display device having a display format type (224) that is the same as the digital object type (214), and transcoding the digital object (210) in dependence upon the display format attributes (240) of the destination display device. Such embodiments include displaying (210) the transcoded digital object (212) on a destination display device (150).